GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Water Resources Department – Establishment of the Water Resources Training Institute (WRTI), under the Administrative and Technical Control of Chief Engineer, CDO - Orders – Issued.

WATER RESOURCES (CE's ESTABLISHMENT) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 46 Dated: 11-02-2025
Read:

Ref: Lr. No. RC /ENC (Admin)/ ADA / AE /8280/ MMU /2024, Dt: 22.05.2024.

ORDER:

In the circumstances reported by the Engineer -in-chief (Admin), WR Department, Andhra Pradesh in the reference read above, Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby accord permission to the Engineer – in - Chief (Admin.) to establish the Water Resources Training Institute (WRTI), under the Administrative and Technical Control of Chief Engineer, CDO without additional financial commitments and the WRTI shall be run by staff of the Water Resources Department who are already working in different capacities and no recruitment shall be made to run it. A plan of action be put in place such that the WRTI becomes self-sustaining over the next two years.

The WRTI shall, among other duties, perform the following functions:

- Carryout project work, consultancies, evaluation and impact assessment of State as well as Central Government projects.
- Undertake on-farm research on various aspects of irrigation water management, crop productivity, crop diversification, equitable distribution water etc.
- Conduct baseline studies for Improving water use efficiency of Irrigations Projects and evaluate Water Use Efficiency of existing Irrigation projects, and means of reducing cost of delivering water, within the state as well as outside.
- Provide Training to newly recruited AEEs as well as in-service Training to all other officers of the Water Resources Department as well as other Departments.
- Conduct Training programs on Advanced Software Applications including AUTOCAD, Total Station Survey, Civil 3D, Drone technologies, Artificial Intelligence applications in Water Resources, Deep Tech etc.
- Conduct Training Programmes on various aspects of procurement including Tendering, Accounting, Budget & Establishment Matters, and other technical aspects.
- Training Courses on Water and Land Management Including Natural farming, including by way of exposure visits.

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- Summer Internship Programmes for various University students.
- Study application of Models, software, modern tools and modelling techniques for water and land use management.

The Engineer -in-chief (Admin), Vijayawada shall take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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